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Receive Schellville Highway Bids

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan Wars On Prohibition Violators

Community Club House at Sonoma Vista Has House Warming

ILLEGAL STILL IS

SEIZED; SEVERAL

ARRESTS MADE

New Year's Week Keeps Local Officer on Jump In Prohibition Cases; Fines Paid.

New Year's week came in like a lion for Deputy Sheriff Ryan and a net put out to catch up prohibition violations yielded several offenders, one of whom, George Muhvich has been held to answer before the Superior Court for having a still at his Schellville ranch, a quantity of mash, jackass brandy and some wine.

B. Dupoy, Vinburg resort keeper was found to have liquor in his possession contrary to law and upon pleading guilty, was fined \$250.

The officer also raided S. Arreola, the tamale parlor man and is said to have secured evidence there. Arreola was arrested on being the second time he has faced the court for violating the prohibition laws. His case will come up Tuesday and is attracting much local attention as he is the father of a large family and in such poor circumstances that he had to borrow money to pay his fine when found guilty of selling liquor a few months ago.

A search warrant served on the premises of A. Pinelli brought to light several bottles of liquor last Saturday and as a result a warrant charging possession in violation of the Volstead Act was sworn to by Deputy Sheriff Ryan. Pinelli paid a fine of \$300 for the offense.

Mrs. Pinelli was taking a bath while the raid was being conducted and did not know the premises were being searched until the officer had secured the evidence.

New Year's Eve celebrants in Sonoma Valley were not without their supply of spirits and officer Ryan made several sorties on young law breakers who had bottles on their hips or in their cars. He was forced to break up several drinking parties on the street after witnessing youthful celebrants in various stages of intoxication. Open drinking among young boys was widely commented upon and is far worse in Sonoma Valley and home of the young couple. Many lovely presents including gifts given the bride at several showers prior to her wedding day will grace the new home.

STORK AT POTTER HOME

The stork again hovered over the Charles Potter home, Schellville, on Friday morning, and left an eight pound baby girl for Mr. and Mrs. Hanerich of the gravel barge. Dr. Hays was in attendance and mother and babe are doing nicely under the care of Mrs. Potter.

Miss Alice Milford of Santa Rosa has been enjoying her Christmas holidays with her aunt, Mrs. P. W. Angove.

WANTS LOCAL CAPITAL TO BACK THE MOVIES

H. J. Binney, who claims recent financial troubles and disappointment in backing which would halt the completion of his moving picture activities here, addressed a meeting at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday and urged the formation of a local corporation to back the enterprise financially.

Sonoma Valley is much interested in getting moving picture producers interested here and will go into the proposition thoroughly with the ultimate object of putting the enterprise on a successful basis. The committee at work on Sonoma's movie program will carefully look into the record of Binney's success as a producer of pictures before tying up with him and asking the people of Sonoma Valley to back his company.

DAUGHTER OF PROMINENT FAMILY WEDS HERE

At noon on New Year's day Miss Sylvia Picetti, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Picetti, Sonoma vineyardist, became the bride of Victor Millard of Napa at a pretty home wedding in the new Picetti bungalow on East 4th St. Sonoma City. Rev. J. F. Byrne officiated at the ceremony which united these popular young people.

Miss Virginia Picetti, sister of the bride was bridesmaid and Arthur Coops, brother-in-law of the groom was best man. The bride, an attractive brunette, wore a becoming and modish spring costume of taupe twill with gloves, hat and shoes to match. She wore a corsage bouquet of Cecil Bruner roses. Following the ceremony, the wedding party motored to the Union Hotel where a fine wedding breakfast had been prepared by Mrs. Steiner. The bride's table was prettily decorated and bride and groom were heartily felicitated by the relatives present.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard later departed on their honeymoon journey after which they will return to reside in Napa where the groom holds a responsible position with the Shell Oil Co.

A handsomely furnished bungalow, recently completed is the gift of the bride's parents and will be the future home of the young couple. Many lovely presents including gifts given the bride at several showers prior to her wedding day will grace the new home.

Guests at the wedding and wedding breakfast included Mr. and Mrs. A. Coops and little Betty Coops, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and two children of Napa, Frank and Gladys Millard of Napa, Mr. and Mrs. F. Picetti, Mr. and Mrs. John Picetti and daughter Virginia, Mary and Louis Picetti.

L. E. STATES EXPANDS HIS AUTO BUSINESS

L. E. States of the used car market is enlarging his business. He has given up the site next to the old station and rented the former blacksmith shop adjoining, where he will specialize on second hand cars and parts. His partner, Mr. Bannerman, recently of South Dakota, will conduct a cigar and candy stand at the location.

Builder of Schellville-Beltane Road Asks \$274,000 for Work

The following information has been received by the Index-Tribune direct from the California State Highway Commission:

The matter of awarding a contract for the improvement of 11.5 miles of the state highway between Schellville and Beltane, in Sonoma county, will be before the California Highway Commission at its next meeting on January 10th in San Francisco, it is announced by State Highway Engineer R. M. Morton.

Galbraith & Jones were low bidders when bids were opened this week. Their offer was \$274,760.61, against an engineer's estimate of \$267,965.95. The work consists of grading and surfacing with crushed rock or gravel of 7.2 miles of highway and the paving of 4.3 miles with concrete.

It is probable that contracts for more than \$1,000,000 worth of work will be let at the next meeting of the commission.

The entire Sonoma Valley and Santa Rosa also is eager for the completion of the Schellville unit. The lateral between Schellville and Santa Rosa was an improvement voted by the people of California at one of the state bond elections several years ago, authorizing certain highway work. Sonoma waived a lot of county highway in order to be included in the state program. The work was authorized by the people, but never completed.

SONOMA MAN HEADS SCHOOL AT VALLEJO

C. W. Peck has sold his interest in the Jersey Dairy to Charles Champelin and will move to Vallejo with his family. He has accepted the principalship of the Vallejo grammar school. Mrs. Peck is a sister of the late Mrs. Maud Frasier Champelin.

THOS. PINDER PASSED AWAY

Thomas Pinder of San Francisco passed away Wednesday evening following his removal to a hospital on account of an attack of apoplexy. Despite the best medical care and a night and day nurse, nothing could be done for the sufferer. He passed out peacefully without regaining consciousness.

Mr. Pinder has been a resident of California for fifty years and for forty years was a highly regarded employee of Morgan & Allen, the San Francisco jewelry firm upon whose payroll he was up to the time of his death. For some time previous he had been granted leave of absence.

The funeral of the pioneer Californian will be held in Santa Rosa today where the remains will be interred in the family plot where his wife was buried 25 years ago.

Surviving deceased is an only brother, Ben Pinder of Sonoma who will attend the obsequies in the City of Roses this afternoon.

Agent Grover Rubke of the N. W. P. at Vineburg is taking a vacation and will go to his ranch at Marysville.

It was only recently that the highway commission completed the first unit which ends at Beltane. Between that point and Schellville the road is in such deplorable condition that the traveling public has been practically cut off from the county seat, and Sonoma Valley people subjected to the roughest kind of going in order to reach the Black Point cut-off route to Sacramento or San Francisco.

Months ago the supervisors bought and paid for right of ways on the piece of road, construction of which is now pending. A number of folks are riding around in automobiles bought with right of way money, but they are still waiting to ride over the new Schellville-Beltane highway. All the bridges and culverts have been provided by the county for the building of the new road and the letting of the contract by the highway commission Thursday next would be a red letter day on Sonoma Valley's 1924 calendar.

Several of the improvement clubs and civic organizations of this section will forward communications to Sacramento urging the letting of the contract.

Chairman Harvey Toy has assured the valley that the road will be built even if the commission had to build it by day work. The present bid, however, would seem to preclude that alternative.

SANTA ROSA'S DRUNKS GAIN

Law violations in Santa Rosa during the past year have increased nearly double over violations in 1922, as shown by reports of the city police chief. In 1923 the total arrests for the year were 383, while this year the arrests total 512. The greatest number of arrests in any month during the two year period was in November, 1923, when 91 names were placed on the court docket. The smallest number of arrests came in December 1922, when the police officers were evidently controlled by the true Christmas spirit and arrested but fourteen violators. January, 1923, came next, with sixteen arrests.

In 1918, arrests by city officials totaled 416, while in 1919 the number dropped to 371. In 1918 county officers arrested 434 persons.

Intoxication cases furnished most of the arrests during the year of 1922, with a total of 131 cases. This year intoxication has increased with a total of 146 drunk cases. In two months, November and December, 1923, 88 traffic violators were fined. —Santa Rosa Republican

NEW BANK MAKES PROUD ANNOUNCEMENT

The Valley National Bank, a new institution which opened its doors in Sonoma during 1923, with old bankers at its head, makes a proud announcement in this issue of the Sonoma-Index-Tribune. The bank reports a growth which now totals over half a million dollars in assets.

DIED SUDDENLY AFTER CHRISTMAS DINNER

Dr. W. A. Wright of Kenniwick, Washington, husband of Emma Hope Wright, formerly of Sonoma, died very suddenly Christmas day in the north. The Wrights had been out to a neighbors to a Christmas dinner party and as Dr. Wright went to get his car to go home he was seized with a fatal heart attack and was found dead beside the machine.

For many years deceased had been a practicing dentist of Spokane, but some time ago rented an apple orchard at Kenniwick. He married Miss Emma Hope, daughter of a prominent Sonoma family about 30 years ago. His bride had been the postmaster here and a social favorite.

Mrs. S. Woodworth, a sister of Mrs. Wright received the sad news of the doctor's death Thursday.

PETER O. SERCK DIES AT HIS HOME IN ENGLAND

Peter O. Serck, wealthy English inventor and manufacturer, who owned and conducted the Kearns ranch in Los Guilicos valley near Santa Rosa for several years, died recently at his home in Birmingham, England, according to news received by Col. H. P. Hilliard, who was his friend and business agent, from Capt. P. M. Starley, private secretary for Serck.

Death followed a year of illness from a throat affection, according to the cablegram, and came at the home city of the former Sonoma county resident, where was located his manufacturing plant. "The Serck Radiators" an institution which at times employed 2500 workers.

Serck, a Norwegian by birth but a naturalized Englishman, was the inventor of a radiator and cooling device which was taken over by the British government soon after the start of the World war. Serck then started traveling, arriving in California from the Orient. Visiting this section, Serck was charmed, and purchased the great Kearns ranch property in 1919. He lived there about two years, leaving in the fall of 1921 for England.

Just before his departure he sold the ranch home and the bulk of the acreage, some 1500 acres, to George A. Proctor and Wallace L. Ware five hundred acres which he reserved were sold later by Col. Hilliard for him to Mrs. Davie-Anderson. —Santa Rosa Republican

GEORGE F. WARREN HAS PASSED AWAY

George F. Warren, prominent poultryman of Sonoma Valley, whose hens won a prize in the recent Sonoma county egg laying contest, died at the Lane Hospital in San Francisco yesterday after a five weeks' illness. Mr. Warren was a victim of cancer but had the best care possible prior to his death. He had been sent to the hospital upon advice of his local physician, Dr. A. M. Thomson.

Deceased was a man of kindly and retiring disposition, a good neighbor and citizen. He had attained the age of 78 years and was a native of the state of Massachusetts.

NEW BUILDING

REPLACES ONE

CONSUMED BY FIRE

Well Wishers From All Over the Valley Gathered at Sonoma Vista Last Saturday Night.

Marking a proud milestone in the rehabilitation of Boyes Springs, the pretty new community club house at Sonoma Vista opened its hospitable doors to the club members, and their friends last Saturday night. The new building takes the place of another club house, still quite new, too, when burned down during the fire which swept the Springs section last September. The experience and enterprise of the whole-souled enterprising folks of Sonoma Vista is evident in the new home of the Club. It is more commodious, convenient and artistic than the one on whose ashes the present structure has been built.

A cheerful fire blazed on the hearth opening night, and brilliant illuminations from side lights and chandeliers told of well studied plans and better provisions for electric lighting. More than twenty card tables (substantially built and part of the club house furnishings) were all too few to accommodate the whist players who came to take a hand and lend a hand to their progressive neighbors. The hall was filled to overflowing, well wishers and friends coming from every part of Sonoma Valley to show their kindly spirit and interest in the future success of the Sonoma Vista Improvement Club.

After sixteen hands of whist had been played and prizes awarded, there was dancing to good music and all guests were served with refreshments, the first tables being reserved for visitors, the members being served later. A kitchenette with modern conveniences is an important accessory to the club house.

A generous sum was realized toward the payment of the club house debt by this party. J. N. Beach was master of ceremonies.

New Year's eve the people of Sonoma Vista celebrated at their community center with music, dancing, and joyous greetings to 1924.

TRUSTEES ADJOURN TO JANUARY 15th

The January city trustees' meeting was presided over by Mayor Bulotti with Trustees Lindley and Bates as the other members present. After the payment of bills for the current month the Board took adjournment to January 15th.

No vacancy is thought likely to be declared to fill Trustee Lewis' place as there will be a regular city election in April.

Bills approved were as follows:

Irving Bruskey	\$299.00
E. Cornelius	7.50
W. W. Carter	19.10
H. W. Gottenberg	15.00
H. C. Posthelwaite	30.00
R. C. Specht	41.00
California Tel. & Light Co.	117.82
F. Duhring	.90
E. Coates	.30
Sonoma City Water Works	32.50
R. Quartaroli	100.00
L. H. Green	9.50

HIPPODROME THEATRE

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WEEK COMMENCING JANUARY 9th

SUNDAY

LEATRICE JOY and OWEN MOORE in

"The Silent Partner"

—Also—

VAUDEVILLE

FIVE ACTS HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE

MONDAY

JACK HOXIE in

"Don Quickshot of the Rio Grande"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

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In Zane Grey's Widely Read Story

"The Lone Star Ranger"

SATURDAY

WESLEY BARRY in

"The Country Kid"

DON THEATRE

John Mohr, Manager

Sonoma, California

Saturday Night, January 5th, Robertson & Cole Corporation Presents

EDITH ROBERTS in "THE SON OF THE WOLF"

Jack London's thrilling melodrama. See the thundering avalanche and the knife duel amid the snows.

—SPECIAL—

Sunday Night, January 6th, Paramount Pictures Corporation Presents

BETTY COMPTON in "THE WHITE FLOWER"

Under a tropical sky she danced to the rhythm of a moon-lit sea. A wonderful story of the South Seas.

Extra—Two Reels of Comedy

Admission 20c and 30c, War Tax Included

Wednesday and Thursday Nights, Jan. 9, 10, First National Presents

CHARLES RAY in "NINETEEN AND PHYLLIS"

"I love you," he faltered, "will you marry me?" "Pooh-pooh," she scoffed. "You're only nineteen." But they did get engaged, to each other and to a lot of trouble.

Fettters Springs Theatre

MOVIES and DANCING EVERY SATURDAY and SUNDAY

Sunday Night, January 6th, A. David Smith Productions Presents

"THE NINETY AND NINE"

"Wires west down; hemmed in by flames; send engine or we will burn"

Saturday Night, January 5th, Vitagraph Presents Earle Williams in

"YOU NEVER KNOW"

A five reel mystery with lots of thrills that keeps you guessing.

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\$2.60

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Saturday and Sunday

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Oct. 1, 1923, to April 27, 1924

To April 27, 1924

Arrive Sonoma—Daily: 10:36 a. m., and 6:36 p. m.

Leave Sonoma—Daily: 7:09 a. m., and 3:08 p. m., except Sunday

Sunday Only: 4:18 p. m.

Northwestern Pacific

EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

Fred Jensen and wife of San Francisco were New Year's visitors at their El Verano home, where they entertained a number of friends at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomson of Chicago have bought a ranch in western El Verano. The new arrivals like the Valley of the Moon and say it is the best climate they have experienced and a fine place to live. They will engage in the poultry business and have already invited friends in their far-away state to come and locate in the Sonoma Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Aubrey and Miss Mayme Walsh of San Francisco were entertained at the Kearney home New Year's day.

Mrs. A. Swenson is spending the week in San Francisco, visiting and shopping.

Mrs. P. Rossi has been visiting with friends in Vallejo.

Last week between Kenwood and Santa Rosa the Max Coots family of Kenwood, going north, were run into by a neighbor's car coming toward Kenwood. Mr. and Mrs. Coots were badly cut and bruised, but the children escaped injury. The Coots car was a total wreck, but the other party admitted his responsibility for the accident and promised to replace the wrecked car with a new one.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Rossi and little daughter have gone to Oakland where they will furnish a home, so Mr. Rossi may be near his work, he being employed now as switchman for the S. P.

New Year's Eve was fittingly celebrated in the old town, many visitors from other cities motoring to El Verano to be with relatives over the holiday. The firing of guns and anvils, music and bonfires ushered out old 1923 and welcomes in the new year. The streets were paraded by folks waiting to see the old year expire. El Verano, which is 100 per cent dry, faithfully upheld the prohibition law, so she was a dry old welcoming of 1924. She was kickless.

L. B. McKinnon of Concord was visiting relatives over the New Year and also taking in the wrestling match at Sonoma Saturday evening. Other fans who accompanied him were Ed and Bill Dowdall.

Mrs. F. Carmer of Sonoma was a passenger for Benicia where she was entertained over the week end by her son, who has built a new home in that city.

Ole Johnson, rice king of the Sacramento Valley, accompanied by his son, motored to Sonoma Valley last week.

Harry, Arthur, Bill and Norman Baines have been enjoying an outing at Dillon Beach, fishing and hunting clams.

An examination of election returns at Santa Rosa for the past year shows that but two precincts in the county cast anywhere near 200 votes and as a result the Supervisors have not acted on establishing a second precinct in

El Verano. It was thought by many that new precincts would be formed according to the number of voters registered, but the law says there must be over 200 votes cast at an election in one voting precinct to make the establishment of a second precinct legal.

R. A. Harrison after a visit of several weeks at the George Baines home has returned to Marshfield, Ore.

M. F. Mullen, pensioner of the S. P. Company, has received his annual New Year's present from the company, a pass over the Southern Pacific lines, which also includes his wife.

Miss Dorothy Baines is spending the week in Sacramento with relatives.

A letter received by Fritz Bohlig from Germany during the Christmas holidays, required stamps to the amount of 120,000,000 marks to carry it to the United States. Before the war, the above sum would have equalled \$27,000,000,000 American money. Owing to the great number of stamps required to send German mail to the United States, letters from that country are now being sent without stamps.

Pat Burns, veteran S. P. engineer, arrived Saturday evening to spend the week end at his recently built home at Verano.

L. D. Harper, El Verano butcher, has leased the Flora Villa property in south El Verano, where the family will make their home.

William Kabler of the Annadan Farm, has been in bay cities transacting business and meeting old time friends and neighbors.

Henry Koerner saw the old year out in San Francisco, and he reports much merriment and a wonderful ushering in of 1924.

Miss Edna Ammann, Western Union telegrapher, came up from San Francisco Sunday evening to spend a few days with home folks.

John Wagon, former Sonoma postmaster, now a ranch owner, was a welcome visitor in town Sunday. Mr. Wagon is looking well and his El Verano friends were glad to see him.

Fred Batto, Sonoma banker and feed man, was an El Verano business visitor recently. Mr. Batto will soon start work on an addition to his warehouse here.

The Sonoma Vista Improvement Club's new club house opening last Saturday evening was a big success, the hall being crowded. El Verano sent a large delegation and all report a wonderful time.

George E. Condrey and family of Weed and W. H. Roberts and family of Sacramento returned home Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hall.

J. Hoffman, after a several days' visit with his brother, returned to his home in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Nichelini of Sonoma was an El Verano visitor Monday, wishing friends a happy New Year. Mrs. Nichelini, although 84 years of age, is hale and hearty, and her El Verano friends welcomed her.

Mrs. C. J. Horn of Weed will be a guest at the W. W. Hall home for two weeks.

L. Lamotte and T. H. Baines were business visitors in Santa Rosa on Monday.

Al Johnson was dining and wishing the natives a happy new year here Tuesday. Al will be a candidate for mayor of Boyes Springs when the new city is built.

BROTHER OF CARL DESEL IS CALLED TO ETERNITY

Dr. Gustav Dresel, eminent specialist of San Francisco and brother of Carl Dresel of Sonoma Valley, died at his home in the metropolis on New Year's day. He leaves a widow, four children and a sister besides his Sonoma relative.

Dr. Dresel, like his brother, Carl, was born in Texas. He took up the profession of eye, ear and nose doctor and after his graduation from the best colleges of this country and Europe, attained decided success in his work.

For some time past he had maintained offices on Post street in San Francisco. He son is also a doctor. Deceased was 67 years of age.

Ex-Post Master John Wagon was a well known visitor here New Year's eve from Napa county.

P. G. & E. COMPANY

EXTENDING LINES

The Pacific Gas and Electric Company is preparing to extend power lines on Fifth Street East here for a distance of approximately one mile, from Napa Street to the Napa-Sonoma road, setting 41 poles. The telephone lines along this street will be reconstructed.

From this new power line nine new customers will be served. The work will involve an expenditure of \$3457 and will make service available for W. D. Suggett, F. J. Knolle, C. T. Studley, C. I. Smith, H. H. Sharp, F. Morenzoni, C. S. Cutter and A. H. Perry.

H. G. Ridgway, division manager of the company, in speaking of this extension, states that during the past

month there was a gain of 6192 new consumers on the company's system, with a total of 52,809 new consumers for the eleven months ending November 30th thus indicating the growth of the nation of California served by the company.

MARE ISLAND YARD

ECURES BIG JOB

Chairman Fay of the Shipping Board recently announced that a contract had been let to the Mare Island Navy Yard for the re-conditioning of the steamship resident Pierce of the Pacific Mail line.

The work will call for an expenditure of about \$4000.

According to Vallejo newspaper the yard officials will probably take on 150 additional employees.

Fruit Trees

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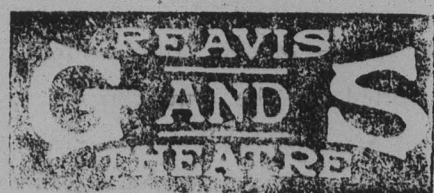
The fellow who makes the most runs is the one who hits consistently and gets "safe on first." The .300 hitter "picks the good ones" for "fattening up" his batting average.

Don't strike out on wildcat speculations. If they can't "put 'em over" let them go by.

We've had considerable experience in investing money. If you want to make an investment, we'll gladly help you to "pick the good ones."

Valley National Bank

SONOMA, CALIFORNIA



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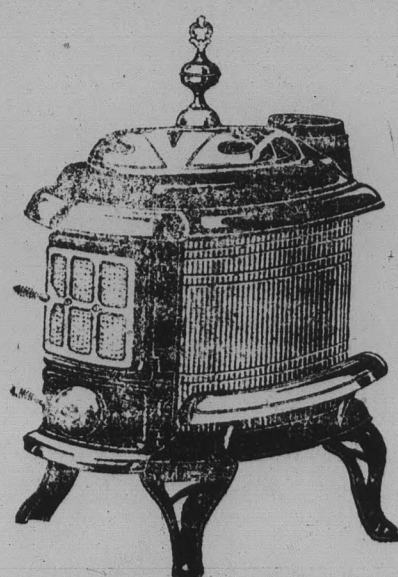
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Transfer Your Money to Sonoma Now

Many people who have recently moved to Sonoma, left their money in the banks of towns where they formerly lived. Their money is aiding the farmers and business men of other communities. It should be in this progressive city from which these people are drawing their living.

Money transferred to the Central Bank before January 10, will bear interest from January 1. No interest will be lost in making the transfer.

Just bring or call in your pass book to us and say whether you wish to open a checking or savings account. The officials of this bank will be glad to attend to all the details of transferring your money without expense to you. DO IT NOW.

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"THE BANK OF PERSONAL SERVICE"

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NEW YEAR PARTY

AT FOX HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Fox entertained a number of guests New Year's day at their hospitable ranch home south of town. A bright fire blazed on the hearth and the talented young ladies of the family dispensed music—violin, piano, banjo and flute, the latter played by Roy Wirtz, one of the guests of the party. Dancing, singing and merrymaking prevailed throughout the afternoon and continued until evening when a real New Year's supper was served. Roast duck, salad and many more delectable dishes were partaken of after which dancing, games and merrymaking were resumed.

Among those at the party who contributed to the entertainment during the evening was attorney Victor Dunn of Oakland who recited from Shakespeare and other favorite authors.

Feats of magic and card tricks were also entertaining features at the party.

Among other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ehlers of Eldridge and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Murphy.

NEW REGISTRY OF

VOTES IS REQUIRED

Those who would vote during the coming year must register again after January 1, 1924, as the great register expires then. There is a provision, however, that people may vote for the school elections in March on the old registrations, but that is all. To vote at the April election registration must be made in 1924.

On motion of County Clerk W. W. Felt the Supervisors will take up the matter of changes in the voting precincts of Blucher, Suburban and East and West Glen Ellen. These changes it is understood, will mean a substantial saving of county funds each time an election is held.

MRS. JACK LONDON

NOW IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Charmian London, who recently returned from abroad, has arrived in New York and taken an apartment in the famed Greenwich Village where she is getting local color and visiting old friends. She will later journey to Iowa to visit relatives before returning to her home in the Valley of the Moon.

Mrs. Eliza Shepard, sister of the late author, Jack London, contemplates a visit to a national executive session of the American Legion Auxiliary at Indianapolis, and may meet the traveler enroute.

DEMOLAYS TO GIVE DEGREES IN SONOMA

(Santa Rosa Press Democrat)
Members of the Santa Rosa DeMolay degree teams will go to Sonoma January 14th, when they will present the first and second degrees to a large group of candidates.

Many members of the Santa Rosa Masonic fraternity will accompany the DeMolay on the trip while Masons of Sonoma are expected to turn out in great numbers to witness the exemplification of the degree work.

Master Councilor Duncan Silver-shield will have charge of the ceremonies.

NATIVE SONS DANCE

DREW BIG CROWD

The Native Sons dance at Union Hall New Year's Eve drew out a very large crowd and filled the hall to capacity. A substantial sum was realized for the Homeless Children's Fund. Refreshments served by the gracious Native Daughters were well patronized. Dancing, with a merry carnival at midnight, lasted until the wee small hours.

Pign Whistle Candies at Batto's Sonoma store—adv. tf.

NOTICE

Dog licenses are due and payable on or before the first of January, 1924.

J. H. ALBERTSON,
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Editorial Column

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SHORTRIDGE REPUDIATES JAP SYMPATHIZER

Senator Shortridge points that famed finger of his at the editor of a San Jose newspaper who apparently would protect the Japanese at the expense of California and while he does so figuratively, what he says is so pointed and expressive of true Western sentiment that we print the repudiation dealt out and the article which called it forth.

The editorial to which Senator Shortridge rightfully took exception said:

"Senator Samuel Morgan Shortridge who rode into office on the Republican landslide a few years back, proposes to out-Herod Herod in this matter of jabbing the Japanese with a red hot pitchfork. It is the worthy solon's desire to persuade Congress to enact an amendment to the immigration law which would bar all persons not eligible for citizenship from this country. As we understand this marvellous proposal it is calculated to prevent even Japanese students from visiting this country for a period long enough to enable them to take a college course.

"Shortridge is playing a deep and dirty game. He is making an appeal to mob sentiments. He knows very well that Congress won't pass this uncivilized and idiotic measure, but he hopes to win lasting popularity in his home state.

"America by sending Admiral Peary to interview the shogun forced Japan to shake off the sleep of ages. And now Shortridge proposed to have America as hermetically sealed to Japan as Japan once was to America. It is reactionary, uncivilized, disgusting. Such proposals as this lead towards war; American college educations for Japanese lead toward peace and civilization.

"May the Congress unceremoniously reject Shortridge's disgraceful proposal, and may the Commonwealth of California at the next election throw Shortridge out of office on his ear."

Whereupon, the California solon nipped the Nippon sympathizer, thusly:

"To the Editor of the News,
"San Jose, Calif.

"Whether the coarse and scurrilous editorial appearing in the December 1 issue of the News was inspired by political malice or born of your pitiful ignorance I know not nor do I care; but whatever moved you to write and publish such an article concerning one who is striving with other Californians to save our State and Nation from Oriental immigration, the fact is that the proposed law to exclude aliens not eligible to citizenship has been and is by formal resolution, favored and approved by the Native Sons of the Golden West, by the American Legion, by the National Grange, by the American Federation of Labor and by the vast majority of the people of California and of the other Pacific Coast States.

"The bill you refer to was not introduced by me, but by Honorable Albert Johnson, chairman of the House Committee on Immigration, and by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. I hasten to add that I heartily favor this bill, as also do V. S. McClatchy, Attorney General Webb, and other public spirited citizens who are animated by no other motive than to serve the best interests of our State and Nation.

"If you think it just to scoff and sneer at me and my efforts to carry into effect the overwhelming wishes of the people of California, you may continue to do so; but you should at least be decent and state the facts. To the end that you may know its provisions as they apply to Oriental immigration I am enclosing a copy of the House Bill No. 101 (a duplicate of which is Senate Bill No. 35, also enclosed) and I venture to call your attention to Sub-division B, Section 12, Page 17, which reads:

zanship shall not be admitted to the United States unless such immigrant (1) is admissible as a non-quota immigrant under the provisions of Sub-division B, D or G of Section 4, or (2) is the wife or unmarried minor child of an immigrant admissible under such Sub-division D, and is accompanying or following to join him."

"If you are able to read and understand the American language you will discover how ignorant you were (and probably now are) when you said that this bill 'is calculated to prevent even Japanese students from visiting this country for a period long enough to enable them to take a college course'; for, as you may be able to see, the bill specifically provides that:

"An immigrant who is a bona fide student over 18 years of age and who seeks to enter the United States solely for the purpose of study at an accredited college, academy, seminary or university particularly designated by him and approved by the Secretary may be admitted.

"I am opposed to Oriental immigration. You appear to favor it. In plain terms tell your few readers so and you will have no readers.

"I am here fighting this battle for our people. I had hoped for your assistance. I am sorry to see that you are enlisted (as a volunteer or for hire) under the banner of Japan.

"Yours truly,
"SAMUEL M. SHORTRIDGE."

YOU HAVE SOMETHING COMING

We trust that every man, woman and child in the United States, to say nothing of Californians and Sonoma folks whom we know to be keen, are on the alert to the great relief expedition upon which Secretary Mellon proposes that the United States embark very shortly—the relief of the people from millions of taxes which we no longer need to pay. The Secretary of the United States Treasury has figures to show that the country has been relieved of so much debt and has accumulated revenue sufficient to be able to get along without a lot of tax money which patient, hard working, good natured Americans have been digging up ever since the war.

Secretary Mellon declares that income taxes can all be greatly reduced (40,000 California women alone pay income tax); sur-taxes and other taxes put upon corporations and charged for in our railroad fares, electric, water, gas and power bills, can be cut down; taxes on telegrams, telephones and leased wires may be rightfully repealed; and also the tax on theatre tickets and admissions to amusements of all kinds which now yield \$70,000,000 yearly to the United States government. The very thought of getting rid of these burdens and getting the benefit of the money now no longer necessary to pull the United States out of the cost of the war is refreshing, invigorating, positively dynamic in its effect on the average American.

With this rebate, directly or indirectly, to individuals in the United States, it would not be long before everybody, including our soldiers, would have much more than such a pittance as the soldiers' bonus proposes. The meagre bonus money advocated for a limited class of Americans would be as nothing compared to this other bonus in which soldiers and everyone else would share, and the soldiers' share would do him some good, for it would be free of many of the pernicious taxes which now skim the cream off every dollar we handle.

President Coolidge is basing his candidacy for the 1924 Republican presidential nomination on the Mellon tax plan and if Congress backs the program it will mean the saving of cool millions to millions of Americans.

TRANSFER YOUR MONEY GOOD IDEA

The headline of a local bank advertisement says "Transfer Your Money to Sonoma Now." N or

the more constructive suggestion for the upbuilding of the financial foundation of our community could be made. The money kept in other towns or cities augments and enriches the bank accounts there. Money back of Sonoma and available for Sonoma Valley's upbuilding means our growth and development. Not only do the bankers, which include stockholders, directly benefit, but the benefit is greater in a broader sense, in that money transferred to Sonoma banks will give this community a more solid backing and enable our banks to put more money at the disposal of local investors.

The slogan, "Transfer Your Money to Sonoma" also holds good and will react as effectively in the case of money spent at home. No better resolution can obtain in 1924 than one prompted by the suggestion, "Transfer your money to Sonoma." In other words, if you have been spending money and doing your buying in other towns, resolve to change your system of fallacious saving, which prompted you to take your money to other cities to do your buying when you might have left the money in your own community. That the policy of trading in other towns to save money is economically unsound, there is no question.

Remember the slogan of a progressive east bay city which, when adapted locally, would read: "Money spent in other communities is money spent. Money spent in Sonoma Valley is money invested.

It looks as if Jupiter Pluvius had leagued himself with the prohibitionists and is now in on the conspiracy to make the country good and dry. The prayers of the holier-than-thous to the heavens must have been misinterpreted. For Jupiter's benefit, we will say that in 1924 dry does not mean rainless, but liquorless.

Send down the rain.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Eva Peck has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her late sister, Mrs. Maud M. Champlin, under bond of \$360.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith of San Francisco, who own a country home at Sonoma Vista, were here for the community club house warming. Mr. Smith is the Pacific Coast distributor of the Saturday Evening Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mazuie and two pretty little daughters spent New Year's at the home of Mrs. Mazuie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Froment.

Miss Lydia Culberson, the efficient bookkeeper, has resumed her position at the meat market now conducted by DeMartini brothers.

Mrs. Effie Searcy of Richmond was here Christmas visiting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Culberson. She did not remain long as her time was divided between Sonoma folks and her daughter and little grand child.

Miss Mary Springer was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lynch and other friends of Richmond and San Francisco over the New Year holiday.

Dr. Carl Walliser of Oakland is reported as failing rapidly in health. He has been paralyzed for some time. Mrs. Walliser and daughter-in-law went to Santa Cruz recently for a short rest but were called home on account of the Doctor's condition.

NOTICE

The second installment of city taxes are due and payable after January 1, 1924. Delinquent after the first Monday in February, 1924.

J. H. ALBERTSON,
Tax Collector.

ORNAMENTAL AND FRUIT TREES

At reasonable prices.

THE ALTA VALE NURSERY

Wm. H. Youngm

Sonoma and Glen Ellen

DRYEST DECEMBER IN YEARS; COLDEST DAY

Sonoma Valley had the driest December in 75 years, so it is said by record keepers. Wednesday was the coldest morning in many years, five degrees below freezing in Sonoma.

Father J. S. Rickard of the observatory of the University of Santa Clara, gave out the following in regard to January weather:

January 1, 2—Generally fair.

January 3, 4—A minor disturbance starting over western British Columbia, greatly handicapped by areas of high pressure on the south and southeast sides. Threatening cloudiness in central California and possibly a slight amount of rain.

January 5—Partly cloudy from hereabouts to the northwestward.

January 6—A depression of stern character to arrive early in the forenoon, causing rain over the northwest coast, growing cloudiness in these parts with a chance for rain early on the 7th, followed by rapid clearing.

January 8—Fair from Oregon to San Diego.

January 9, 10—A cyclonic depression of marked energy to set in over western British Columbia, Washington and northern Oregon, with a fair chance of rain up north, here and far down south.

January 11—Under previous storm, but clearing.

January 12—Mostly fair.

January 13, 14, 15—Generally fair.

January 16—Getting cloudy.

January 17—Some rain over the northwest near the coast, possibly a few drops further down, central California included.

January 18, 19—Mostly fair.

January 19—Getting upset; a few clouds in California, light rain from northern Oregon to Alaska.

January 20, 21—Cloudy, with rain in favored spots, possibly here, too.

January 22—Clearing from British Columbia down our way, fair in southern California.

January 23, 24, 25—Fair over the general coast, except in western British Columbia, Washington and northern Oregon on the 25th.

January 26—Cloudy with some rain over much of the coast, even down to Tehachapi.

January 27—General clearing.

January 28, 29—Fair over the coastal region generally.

January 30—A small depression, centering and causing some cloudiness on the 31st.

January 31—Partly cloudy from San Francisco to the northwestward.

Eager for Promotion.

Victor had just passed from first to second grade, and the various school phrases impressed him, when he and mother were in the waiting room of a dentist, Victor became impatient for his turn and piped up, "Gee, I hope we get promoted next."

Get your Jersey milk from the Jersey Dairy. Phone 6-F-13.

ANSWER FILED IN SUIT

An answer to the suit filed by George Carpenter, Jr., in a legal tangle over Sonoma township which was sold under an execution of judgment and a cross complaint seeking to quiet title to the land and halt Carpenter from asserting any claim was filed in the superior court this week by John Landis.

Denial of charges that Landis refused to accept the amount of the judgment allowed by the court and that he had surreptitiously obtained a deed to the property is made in the answer.

Gil P. Hall and Emmett I. Donohue of Petaluma are attorneys for the defendant.—Press Democrat.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Know all men by these presents, that I Antonio Garibaldi, of Fetters Springs, Sonoma County, California, the party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of ten (\$10) dollars and other valuable consideration, current lawful money of the United States of America, to me in hand paid by A. Borzi, John Acquistapace and D. Donati of the same place, the parties of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do by these presents, sell unto the parties of the second part, their executors, administrators and assigns:

All my right, title and interest in and to that certain lease from Emma Fetters to Antonio Garibaldi and Abedeo Arecco, dated November 1st, 1921, of that certain twenty (20) acre ranch situate near Fetters Hot Springs, Sonoma County, California, for the term of five (5) years from December 1st, 1921; also all my right, title and interest in and to all the stock, crops, farming implements and utensils and other personal property owned by me, and now on said ranch, and used in operating the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 15th day of December, 1923.

ANTONIO GARIBALDI.

I hereby further agree to be responsible for my personal obligations.

ANTONIO GARIBALDI.

State of California, County of Sonoma, ss.

On this 15th day of December, in the year one thousand, nine hundred and twenty-three, before me, Anita Murray, a Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, personally appeared Antonio Garibaldi, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the County of Sonoma, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ANITA MURRAY,

Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

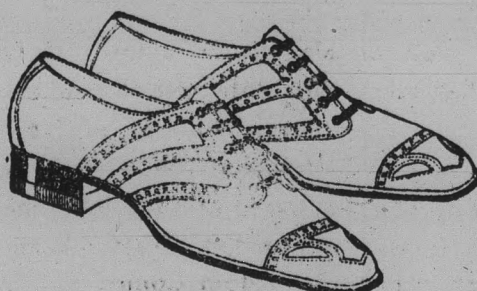
INVENTORY SALE

Commencing Saturday, January 7, and Ending
Saturday, January 19



Beautiful Black Kid Pump, medium leather and rubber heel, Goodyear welt soles. Regular price, \$7.00; sale price

\$3.99



No. 1816. Tan or Black Calf Blucher Oxford, college girl last, Goodyear welt soles; very serviceable and good looking. Regular price, \$6.00; sale price

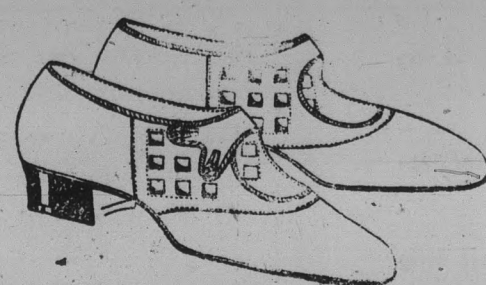
\$4.99



Boys' High Top Shoes, standard double soles to heel, sizes 2½ to 5½. Regular price, \$5.00; sale price

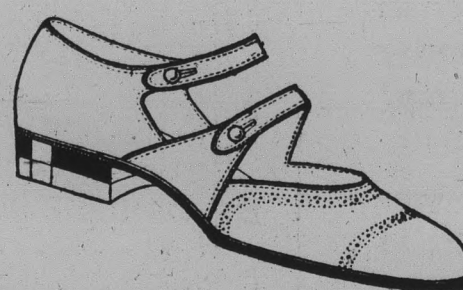
\$3.99

Here's your opportunity to buy a pair of shoes for less money than we paid for them. After taking inventory we find several lines that are short on sizes and which we cannot replace. In order to sell every pair at once we have cut the regular price almost in half, which is far below the price we paid. But as we need money and space for our incoming Spring styles, we are willing to sacrifice our merchandise at the following prices:



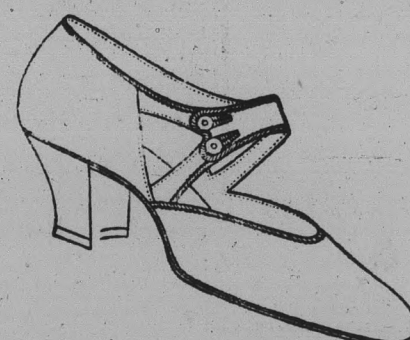
Handsome Black Satin Pump, lattice open-work, low heel. Regular price, \$5.00; sale price

\$3.99



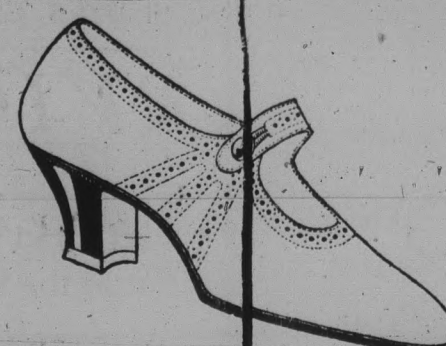
No. G-140. Black Kid or Patent Kid, Goodyear welt soles. Regular price \$5.50; sale price

\$3.99



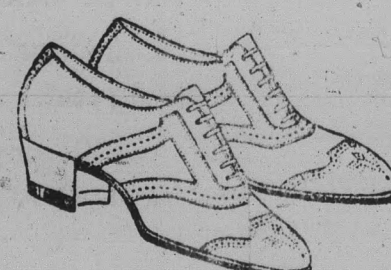
No. 730. Patent Leather Strap Pump, medium leather rubber heel. Regular price \$5.50; sale price

\$3.99



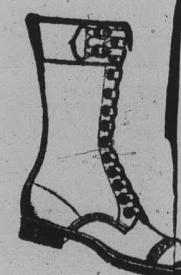
No. A-143. Patent Kid Pump, suede trimming, Goodyear welt soles, shapely Cuban heels. Regular price, \$8.00; sale price

\$3.99



No. A-174. Smart looking Oxford, patent kid trimmed with grey kid, Goodyear welt soles, medium leather, rubber heel. Regular price, \$7.50; sale price

\$3.99



Youths' High Top Blucher, sizes 1 to 2

\$3.25

Little Gent's sizes, ½ to 13½

\$2.75

LADIES' THREE DEL SPATS
On Sale

\$1.25

Our Phoenix Hosiery Dept.

Has great values to offer and a large assortment in Ladies', Men's and Children's Stockings, Socks and Three-Quarters and Seven-Eighths Hose, are to be had in various shades at very reasonable prices. The prices range as follows:

Ladies' Lisle Hose—55c and 75c
Ladies' Silk and Wool Hose—\$1.15. Silk—\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25
Men's Mercerized Hose—40c. Wool—75c. Silk—75c, \$1.00
Children's Mercerized Hose—35c, 55c, 75c. Silk—75c. Wool—\$1.25



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**SONOMA VALLEY
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the best opportunity a genuine sale has ever offered. If you wait too long your size may be gone. Come now!
We have many other items on which we have reduced the price but cannot describe here owing to lack of space.

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THAN IS EXPECTED—BETTER
THAN MIGHT BE NECESSARY—
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SONOMA, CALIFORNIA

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Bath House Still Open

TUB BATHS AND SWIMMING DRY

R. G. LICHENBERG, Mgr.

D. M. SHRIEVE

DIED SUDDENLY

During his sojourn here, Mr. Shrieve interested a number of Sonoma Valley people in his oil properties. A wife and four children are left to mourn him.

"LIGHTNIN" SECURED

FOR G. & S. THEATRE

T. C. Reavis, managing director of the King-Reavis Amusement Company has announced that he has secured an engagement of "Lightnin" the play made immortal by the late Frank Bacon, for Santa Rosa.

A definite date for the showing in Santa Rosa has not been made, but the play will come to the G. & S. Theatre either in the latter part of February or early in March.

The entire cast, with the exception of the lamented Bacon, which for so many hundreds of performances held New York spellbound, will come to Santa Rosa intact, presenting the original conception of the play to the playgoers of this section.

Other road shows which are booked for Santa Rosa in the near future are the Marcus show, "Hello, Prosperity" at the G. & S. Theatre January 17; "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the Cline January 24 and May Robson February 18, in one of her characteristic productions.

WILL TAKE ROAD OVER

The State Highway Commission has agreed to take over the San Quentin road from San Rafael to San Quentin in 1926. The paving of the Black Point cut-off to the Napa county line, will be completed about June 1st of next year. The highway commission is also figuring on taking over the road from Alto to San Rafael via Green Brae at some future date in order to relieve the congestion on the road over the Corte Madera grade. With the establishment of a new auto ferry from San Francisco to Tiburon in 1924, this Alto road will be a public necessity. The highway commission is also planning to put a two foot shoulder on each side of the road from Sausalito to Cloverdale. This will make this road safe and wide for all travel.

The candy of quality—Pig'n Whistle at Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv. tf

DODGE AGENCY

ANNOUNCEMENT

J. H. Williams, the district distributor of Dodge cars, has named J. H. Murray local representative. Dodge parts will be handled at Murray's place of business on the east side of the Plaza.

The new 1924 Dodge has won the highest praise and its is expected that many Sonoma Valley people will be driving the new models.

Mr. Williams of Santa Rosa has given the Dodge a proud place in his territory and many sales were made during 1923. He predicts continued brisk demand for this dependable car.

BOOKS DONATED TO SONOMA LIBRARY BY MR. AND MRS. SIMMONS

Librarian Kate McDonnell reports the following books donated to the Sonoma Public Library by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Simmons, in memory of their late son, Ellis Simmons:

FICTION

Allison—Scenes of the Sea
Day—The Rider of the King Log
Fox—The Little Shepard of Kingdom Come

Marshall—The Voice of the Pack
McCutcheon—Sherry
Stanley—Under the Red Robe
Sabatani—The Banner of the Bull
Sabatani—The Snare
Seton—Wild Animals at Home
Tupper—The House of Five Swords
Millsie—Still Jim
Williams—The Yellow Streak

JUVENILE

Beach—Air Service Boys Flying For Victory
Beach—Air Service Boys in Big Battle
Beach—Air Service Boys On Enemy Lines

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Klose Kleaned Klean at the Sonoma Cleaning Co., Phone 65-R

If it's Pig'n Whistle, it is the best.

Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv. tf

Jersey milk is the cheapest food you can buy. Phone 6-F-13.

The First Epitaph.
The custom of inscribing epitaphs among Christians dates from the Third century B. C. It was copied from an ancient Egyptian custom of hanging around the neck of a body a tablet inscribed, "May He Serve Osiris."

The Toggery

Shoes

Men's Work Shoes, Munson last, priced at

4.50, 4.85, 5.00, 5.50

Boys' Everyday and School Shoes, priced

3.50, 3.75, 4.00, 4.25

Children's Scuffers and Shoes priced from

1.85 Up

Every pair of shoes carries the usual Toggery guarantee—Your Money Back If Not Satisfied. All shoes priced so you can save 10 to 20 per cent on every pair. Come in and see them.

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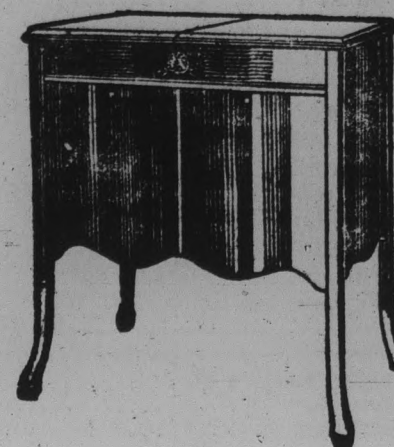
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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION
HEAD OFFICE AND BRANCHES

Bank of Italy

SAVINGS COMMERCIAL TRUST

HEAD OFFICE SAN FRANCISCO

December 29, 1923

RESOURCES

First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate.....	\$115,733,167.93	
Other Loans and Discounts	84,772,763.01	\$200,505,930.94
United States, State, County and Municipal Bonds and United States Certificates of Indebted- ness	46,602,514.67	
Other Bonds and Securities	9,851,343.99	
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	600,000.00	
TOTAL U. S. AND OTHER SECURITIES.....		56,543,858.66
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	13,569,876.54	
Cash and Due from Other Banks	17,240,793.51	
TOTAL CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS.....		30,810,670.05
Banking Premises, Furniture, Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults (75 banking offices in 52 California Cities)	10,220,269.27	
Other Real Estate Owned	686,469.48	
Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit and Acceptances.....	655,660.83	
Interest Earned—Uncollected	2,388,358.15	
Employees' Pension Fund—\$120,556.69 (Carried on Books at)...	1.00	
Other Resources	152,259.39	
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$301,963,477.77	

LIABILITIES

DEPOSITS { Savings	\$187,977,307.73	
Commercial	88,571,571.47	\$276,548,879.20
Irrigation District Funds	49,934.07	
Dividends Unpaid	1,016,508.61	
Discount Collected but Not Earned.....	75,662.79	
Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Time Drafts.....	655,660.83	
	\$278,346,645.46	

*CAPITAL PAID IN	\$ 15,000,000.00	
SURPLUS	5,000,000.00	
Undivided Profits	1,228,474.13	
Interest Earned but Not Collected	2,388,358.15	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$301,963,477.77	

All charge-offs, expenses and interest payable to end of half-year have been deducted in above statement.

*The issuance of 25,000 additional combined shares of stock of Bank of Italy and Stockholders Auxiliary Corporation (the stock of which Corporation is owned by the same stockholders) will give these Corporations in July, 1924, a combined Paid-in Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits of approximately \$35,000,000.

A. P. Giannini and W. R. Williams, being separately duly sworn each for himself, says that said A. P. Giannini is President and that said W. R. Williams is Cashier of the Bank of Italy, the corporation above mentioned, and that every statement contained herein is true of his own knowledge and belief.

A. P. GIANNINI
W. R. WILLIAMSSubscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of December, 1923.
THOMAS S. BURNES, Notary Public.

The Story of Our Growth

As Shown by a Comparative Statement of Our Resources

December, 1904	\$205,436.97
December, 1908	\$2,574,004.90
December, 1912	\$11,228,814.56
December, 1916	\$39,805,995.24
December, 1920	\$157,464,685.08
December, 1922	\$254,282,289.52
December 29, 1923	\$301,963,477.77

NUMBER OF DEPOSITORS, 485,126

Savings Deposits made to and including January 10, 1924
will earn interest from January 1, 1924SANTA ROSA BRANCH
ADVISORY BOARDJOS. T. GRACE, Chairman
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The gentlemen of the Valley of the Moon are doling up in prospect of the Leap Year dance to be given by the Glen Ellen Woman's Improvement Club on the 12th of January. This is the regular second Saturday in the month dance which the club women are featuring. There will be a party on the second Saturday of February also.

The men folks of Sonoma Valley are vying with one another to look their best at the Leap Year dance, for not only are fox trots and waltzes in prospect, but there are some dashing widows and charming batchelor girls in and around Glen Ellen and one cannot tell what the 1924 privilege may bring forth especially at the beautiful Jack London auditorium with its romantic balcony, artistic corners and the seductive strains of beautiful music. —Oh boy!

PARTY NEW YEAR'S EVE
AT THE FROMENT HOME

As is their annual custom, Mr. and Mrs. A. Froment and daughters entertained at a delightful party New Year eve. Holiday decorations and a beautiful Christmas tree added a festive note to the home on this joyous occasion. Games and contests, music and dancing preceded the Virginia reel which was danced just as the New Year dawned and greetings were exchanged.

The guests then repaired to the dining room where a bountifully laden table awaited them. A delicious repast was enjoyed interspersed with repartee and toasts to the new year. In the wee small hours of the first day of 1924 the guests regretfully bade their hosts adieu, voting this one of the most enjoyable social gatherings of the holidays.

Besides Misses Eugenie and Margaret Froment, Mrs. Antoinette Mazouie of San Francisco and two pretty children, assisted in entertaining, little Marguerite Mazouie being already a graceful dancer.

ILLNESS CASTS GLOOM
ON SNYDER RANCH

The serious illness of Miss Maria Snyder and of Thomas Pinder of San Francisco, brother of Ben Pinder of the Snyder ranch cast gloom on this Sonoma Valley household throughout the recent holidays. New Year's day the condition of Miss Maria Snyder was very critical.

Mr. Pinder's brother, a prominent San Francisco business man, was seized with an apoplectic stroke prior to New Year's and when Ben Pinder reached his bedside he was unconscious and could not recognize him.

Mrs. Rachel Snyder who has not been in any too good health, has undergone great anxiety, momentarily expecting long distance calls from the hospital. She went to San Francisco the fore part of the week to see her step-daughter. It was unnecessary for her to remain and she returned to Sonoma with her relative, Mrs. J. Lundy of Alameda, who is still with her.

1923 AUTO LICENSES
EXPIRE JANUARY 31, 1924

Under the new motor vehicle law all automobile registrations expire on January 31 and new registrations become effective on February 1.

Provision is made, however, that where vehicles are duly registered and proper application with fee has been sent to the division of motor vehicles, plates of the previous year may be used during the month of February.

This means that automobile owners who, on or before January 31, 1924, make proper application to the division for renewal of their registration, may operate their cars until March 1 on the 1923 plates.

As there are something over 1,000,000 automobiles registered in the State the task of renewing registrations on all of them at a certain period is a very arduous one. Applications for renewals can be made at any time after January 18. Early application will materially facilitate the division of motor vehicles.

VIOLA BELL WINS
SHARE IN ESTATE

Viola Smith Bell is a daughter of Teresa Bell and entitled to share in her estate.

A jury in Superior Judge Dunne's court decided not only this, but also affirmed the finding of a jury in a previous trial, when Thomas Frederick Bell, Robina Bell Hessel, Reginald Bell, Muriel Bell Hoster and Eunice Bell were declared the children of Teresa Bell.

Viola Smith Bell had contended she was the only child of Mrs. Bell. The jury decided against this contention.

The estate consists of \$825,000 in cash and bonds, which, with accumulated interest and increased value, brings the total valuation to nearly \$900,000. The holdings include \$375,000 in government bonds, \$325,000 in cash and \$125,000 in Pacific Gas and Electric Company bonds.

Unless counsel on either side request a new trial, which is not considered probable, the estate will be distributed within the next ten days by statute, according to McEnerney.

REUNION AT MCGIMSEY HOME

There was a large family gathering at the McGimsey home here during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaw (Etta McGimsey) came up from their home in Los Angeles, Milton McGimsey came down from Branscombe, Mendocino County, and there were relatives from Madera, Windsor and other places to celebrate the Christmas festival with the Sonoma members of the family, which includes Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pauli (Alta McGimsey), Misses Mattie and Grace M. McGimsey, and the little daughters of Milton McGimsey.

CANEVARI OPERATED UPON

F. Canevari, well known old resident and father of the Canevari brothers, a well known and popular Sonoma boys, underwent an operation at the St. Francis Hospital in San Francisco this week. He had been suffering from a chronic ailment which the operation proved of the gall duct.

Mrs. Canevari went down Sunday to see her husband and other members of the family have also visited him at the hospital, where he is recovering from the serious ordeal.

WOMANS CLUB CARD PARTY

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club will give a card party on Wednesday evening, Jan. 9, at the Club House. "500" will be played. The committee in charge are Mrs. J. Tate, Mrs. J. Picetti and Mrs. Geo. Leiser.

V. Dunn, an attorney of Oakland, was a visitor at the John Fox home New Year's Day. Miss Leona Fox is private secretary to the attorney at his Oakland offices.



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"Yes; what is it?"

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"You've got the wrong number, ma'am," said the fireman.

"You said this was the fire house, didn't you?"

"Yes, but—"

"Well, I'm trying hard to raise a respectable lawn, and have lately planted grass seed as far as the Brown's walk. Then, besides the grass seed I had it tidied up and made ready for planting bulbs, and—"

"I say, ma'am, you are mistaken in the telephone number," insisted the fireman. "This—"

"Isn't this the fire house?"

"It is; but—"

"Very well. Now I want to say further that, however careless our neighbors are with their garden we are very much the other way. In fact, a pretty lawn adorned with a variety of flowers is what I and my husband are looking for next season," said the lady.

"For heaven's sake, ma'am, what has this to do with the fire department?"

"Oh, well, our house is No. 200 School street, and the Brown's house next door is on fire. Now, don't let your firemen trample—"

But the fireman had dropped the receiver.

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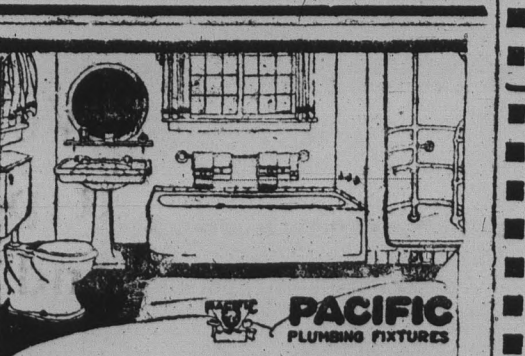
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HENRY LUTGENS**HAS BEEN SICK**

Henry Lutgens, who moved to Sacramento recently, is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Mr. Lutgens' illness was told of to Sonoma friends by his wife and son, Adolph, who motored down from the capital city Monday.

Old neighbors and fraternal brethren.

ers of Mr. Lutgens were sorry to hear of his illness and trust he is already on the road to his usual good health.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Meinhardt motored up from San Leandro on New Year's eve. They have an opportunity to take charge of a large hotel in San Leandro and may go into that business.

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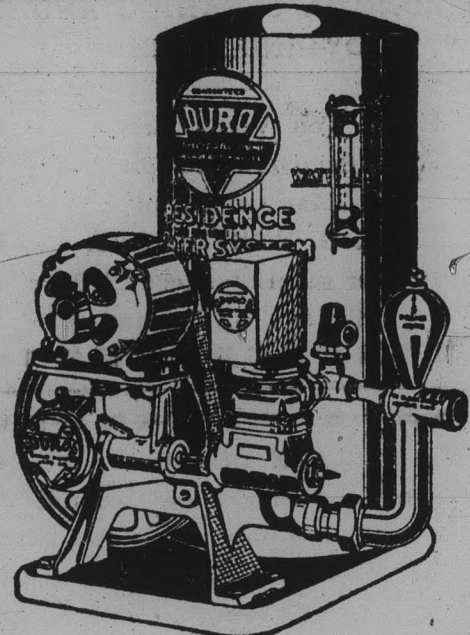
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NEW AUTO BUS LINE**STIRS UP OPPOSITION**

The following about the proposed new stage line, is from the Napa Register:

"The Napa Chamber of Commerce has succeeded in obtaining a postponement in the date of the hearing of the application of the Pacific Motor Stage Company for a permit to operate in Napa Valley via Schellville and the Black Point cut-off. The date has been changed from January 3rd to January 29th.

"It is also probable that the Chamber of Commerce will be successful in its efforts to have the hearing held in this city or some other Napa Valley place. Announcement of the place of the hearing will be made later.

"Napa organizations and others opposed to the stage line are busy amassing data to present in support of their arguments."

In addition to the opposition because of already satisfactory transportation facilities Napa county is fighting the new auto bus line because of the damage the heavy loads would do to the paved highways which were built and are maintained by Napa county taxpayers.

Percy King, representing the Pacific Auto Stage Company, comes to the defense of the new auto bus line, as follows:

"Auto stages as they are now operated throughout the state by the reliable stage companies, are becoming a comfortable and safe means of travel. No longer are the occupants subjected to the perils that existed when the automobile was in an earlier period of its development. The applicant in its proposed service would use specially built Pierce Arrow 18-passenger coaches, equipped with every possible convenience and luxury for the traveler.

The Pacific Auto Stages is a large and reliable corporation which has for some time been successfully operating an auto stage line between San Jose and San Francisco. It now makes application to extend its line to Calistoga by way of the Golden Gate Ferry at Sausalito, San Rafael and Napa. At the present time there is being constructed at applicant's present depot site at Fifth and Mission streets, San Francisco, a large union stage depot so that a person traveling from Napa Valley would end his journey in the heart of San Francisco without transferring to street cars or jitneys. At this union depot, connections could be instantly made with other stages for practically any part of California.

The great and ever increasing number of auto stage passengers is now a matter of common knowledge. It is possible by the system of transferring to reach almost any town in California by stage. Are we doing right by our valley when we insist that it be eliminated from the whole system and from reaping the benefits of additional people in its midst?

"Statistics show that on week ends and holidays the travel on the stage lines is about three times as great as on other days. Many people now get on the stages to take a ride. Why keep them out of Napa valley?

It does not appear that the Napa Chamber of Commerce made a careful and complete study of this new enterprise before it became an adversary. If the Napa valley is made more accessible by the provision of several more round trips daily and by a quicker and less troublesome route, why should an organization of alleged boosters attempt to block this proposal? Even though we do not go out and purchase a stage depot for the new enterprise let us not deny the privilege of this service to others nor attempt to retard the progress of the communities to be served by the new route. Those of us who have not yet learned to ride on the stages can still use the other methods.

"It seems that public convenience could be served by the proposed route. Then let the stage line operate and let the public choose their own method of travel."

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Chambers of Oakland were welcome visitors at Boyes Springs Saturday. They came up for the opening of the Sonoma Vista club house and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel.

MAN ADMITS THROWING**OF FORK AT WIFE**

(From Santa Rosa Republican)

Yes, Enrico Castagnasso did toss a fork across the table at his wife. He admits it—but, her continual harangue was the cause of it. This was brought out in the answer he filed to the divorce complaint Mrs. Castagnasso brought against him some time ago.

He did not toss the fork with the intent to do her violent injury, he says; rather the act was prompted by the spirit of disgust and resentment her verbal barrage had instilled in him.

All the other allegations of cruelty she makes in her complaint he denies. These acts of cruelty charged included attacks at various times by fists only and with a stove poker and a club.

He terminates his answer with a separate defense in his behalf. His wife, wilfully and voluntarily, he declares did, on an occasion prior to her commencement of divorce proceedings forgive and condone each and every offense he might have committed. This act of condonement, he avers, bars his wife from maintaining an action of divorce.

Attorney W. F. Cowan is representing Castagnasso.

GRAND UNDER CHIEF STEIN-**KAMP IN SAN FRANCISCO**

Grand Under Chief Wm. Steinkamp of the U. O. R. M. Grand Lodge went to San Francisco this week for installation of several San Francisco lodges. He also attended the annual mask ball of the Order in that city.

This month the grand officers will visit Sonoma Stamm and a gala night is contemplated.

**COMMISSION COMMENTS ON
FINE RAILROAD SERVICE**

Attention is called by the Interstate Commerce Commission, in its annual report just made public, to the efficient service rendered by the railroads during the current year and to the factors making this performance possible. The report says in part:

"Three noteworthy facts have characterized the transportation history of the current year—

"1. The unprecedented volume of traffic handled.

"2. The concurrent transformation of a car-shortage condition into one of car-surplusage.

"3. An exceptionally equitable distribution of available equipment over territory in which the large traffic movements originate.

"During the first forty-four weeks of this year, January 1 to November 3, inclusive, 42,555,661 cars were reported loaded with revenue freight, an increase over the corresponding period in 1922 of 6,455,666 cars, in 1921 of 9,037,948, and in 1920 of 4,028,110. Not only was this unprecedented tonnage handled well, but the carriers reported a surplusage as of the week ended July 14 of 84,210 railroad-owned freight cars in good repair and 11,035 cars of private ownership.

Contributing Factors

"Some of the outstanding factors which have made possible this hitherto unequalled transportation performance are:

"1. The condition of power and cars.

"2. New locomotives and cars placed in service.

"3. Increases in the mileage per car per day and loading of equipment.

"For the month of September, 1923, the average mileage per freight car per day was 29.2, which is higher than the average for any month since these statistics were inaugurated six years ago. The average for August was 28.2 miles.

"The extent to which shippers have utilized the capacity of cars is reflected in the average load per car. In September this was 27.4 tons, and in July and August was 28.5 tons. With the exception of the average loading for August, 1918, 30.1 tons, and August, 1920, 29.8, the average for August this year is the greatest shown for any similar month since the records were inaugurated in 1917."

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FINE NEW YEAR
PARTY AT CALIENTE

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No. 13709

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA
HENRIETTE LALANNE YOUNG,
Plaintiff,

vs.

JESSE LINDLEY YOUNG, Defendant.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

Fred S. Howell, Attorney for Plaintiff
The People of the State of California
Send Greetings to

Jesse Lindley Young, Defendant.
You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 5th day of October, 1923.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, JR.,
County Clerk.
By Clara E. Christiansen, Deputy
First Publication October 27, 1923

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF
THE STATE OF CALIFORNIAIN AND FOR THE COUNTY
OF SONOMA

W. H. BRAUN, Plaintiff,
vs.
CHRISTOPHER ZIZELMAN,
Defendant.

No. 13639, Dept. No. 1

Notice of Commissioner's Sale On
Foreclosure Of Mortgage.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,—That under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, on the 21st day of December, 1923, in the above entitled action, wherein W. H. Braun, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against Christopher Zizelman, said defendant, on the 21st day of December, 1923, for the sum of Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3500.00) principal, One Hundred Seventy-five and 90-100 Dollars (\$175.90) interest, Ten and 13-100 Dollars (\$10.13) taxes paid, One Hundred Seventy-eight Dollars (\$178.00) attorney's fee, and Twenty-five and 41-100 Dollars (\$25.41) costs expended herein, aggregating the total sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Eighty-nine and 44-100 Dollars (\$3889.44), together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from December 21st, 1923, which said judgment and decree was on the 21st day of December, 1923, recorded in Judgment Book Volume 1 of said Court, at page 106 thereof, I am commanded to sell at public auction in the manner prescribed by law all of that certain real property situate in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a stake marked by seven notches, on the North line of the County Road from Petaluma to Santa Rosa, at a point North, 54 degrees 33 minutes West, 4.43 chains from the center of the Mountain Road (so called), at the most Southerly corner of Lot 267, according to Rowe's map of his subdivision of Petaluma Rancho; thence North, 35 degrees 57 minutes East, 11.29 chains to a stake marked by two notches; thence North, 54 degrees 33 minutes West, 4.43 chains to a stake marked by three notches; thence South, 35 degrees 57 minutes West, 11.29 chains to a stake marked by six notches, on the North line of said County Road; thence South, 54 degrees 33 minutes East, 4.43 chains, along said line, to the point of beginning. Bearings true. Variation 18 degrees 30 minutes East. Containing five (5) acres. Being Lot Two (2) of a Subdivision of a part of Lot 267. Being the same land conveyed to Christopher Zizelman by Tony Troyak and Jennie Troyak, his wife, by Deed of even date herewith. Together with all the improvements thereon, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, on the steps at the Fourth Street entrance of the County Courthouse, Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States. Dated this 26th day of December, 1923.

A. W. BAKER,
Commissioner appointed by said Court.
Fred S. Howell, Attorney for Plaintiff.
First publication Dec. 29, 1923

Classified Advertising

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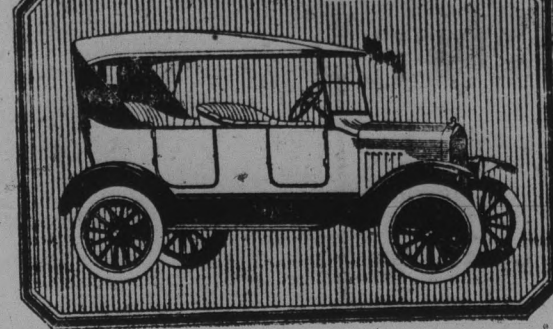
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